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APPLICANT: LUMPKIN ET AL.  
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TITLE: PAD WEAR COMPENSATOR  
FOR A DISC BRAKE CALIPER

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EXAMINER: KING, B.  
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**RE-SUBMISSION OF PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT  
IN COMPLIANCE WITH 37 CFR 1.121**

Sir:

A Notice of Non-Compliant Amendment was mailed in the above-captioned application on July 9, 2001. Applicant re-submits the preliminary amendment in compliance with revised 37 CFR 1.121.

Please amend the application as follows:

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

*On page 15, replace the paragraph beginning at line 9 with the following paragraph:*

With reference to Figs. 4A, 12 and 13, the cable feed 42 consists of a mount 284 which is preferably integrally cast with the housing 18. The mount 284 includes an orifice 286 centered along a guide axis 288. A cylindrical housing stop ferrule 290 has a cylindrical main body 292 having an outer diameter dimensioned to fit freely yet snugly within the orifice 286. A minor boot retention barb 294 extends axially from a leading end of the housing stop ferrule. A major boot retention barb 296 extends axially from a trailing end of the housing stop ferrule 290. An

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